PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. (Large Entity) 15436.51.1 In Re Application Of: Aronson et al. Application No. Filing Date Examiner Customer No. Group Art Unit Confirmation No. 10/687,107 022913 7228 October 16, 2003 Dzung D. Tran 2613 FLEXIBLE CIRCUIT DESIGN FOR IMPROVED LASER BIAS CONNECTIONS TO OPTICAL Invention: **ASSEMBLIES COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:** This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office October 6, 2006 in the above-identified application. Action of The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Three months ☐ Two months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months January 6, 2007 until: February 6, 2007 from: Date DateThe fee for the extension of time is \$120 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178 ☑ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038. /Peter F. Malen, Jr./ Dated: January 29, 2007 Signature Peter F. Malen, Jr. **Attorney for Applicants** Reg. No. 45,576 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited Telephone No. 801-533-9800 with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to "Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on (Date) Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence CC: Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence